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OBJECTIVES FOR MANAGING PUBLIC LANDS MODULE

We are interested in your opinions concerning both public and private forests and grasslands. These lands have many different uses including motorized and non-motorized recreation, preservation, livestock grazing, wildlife habitat, mineral extraction, timber harvesting, spiritual uses and so on.

I will read 5 statements on different topics for you to rate on a scale of one to five, with one meaning not at all important and five meaning very important.

<5 items are randomly selected for each respondent>

QOBJ1 Expanding access for motorized off-highway vehicles on forests and grasslands such as snowmobiling or 4-wheel driving.

Not at all important	1	2	3	4	5	Very important
		8	Don't know			
		9	Refused			

QOBJ2 Developing and maintaining continuous trail systems that cross both public and private land for motorized vehicles such as snowmobiles or ATVs.

Not at all important	1	2	3	4	5	Very important
		8	Don't know			
		9	Refused			

QOBJ3 Developing and maintaining continuous trail systems that cross both public and private land for non-motorized recreation such as hiking or cross-country skiing.

Not at all important	1	2	3	4	5	Very important
		8	Don't know			
		9	Refused			

QOBJ4 Designating some existing recreation trails for specific use (for example, creating separate trails for snowmobiling and cross-country skiing, or for mountain biking and horseback riding).

Not at all important	1	2	3	4	5	Very important
		8	Don't know			
		9	Refused			

QOBJ5 Developing new paved roads on forests and grasslands for access for cars and recreational vehicles.

Not at all important	1	2	3	4	5	Very important
		8	Don't know			
		9	Refused			

QOBJ6 Designating more wilderness areas on public land that stops access for development and motorized uses.

Not at all important	1	2	3	4	5	Very important
		8	Don't know			
		9	Refused			

QOBJ7 Conserving and protecting forests and grasslands that are the source of our water resources, such as streams, lakes, and watershed areas.

Not at all important	1	2	3	4	5	Very important
		8	Don't know			
		9	Refused			

QOBJ8 Preserving the natural resources of forests and grasslands through such policies as no timber harvesting or no mining.

Not at all important	1	2	3	4	5	Very important
		8	Don't know			
		9	Refused			

QOBJ9 Protecting ecosystems and wildlife habitats.

Not at all important	1	2	3	4	5	Very important
		8	Don't know			
		9	Refused			

QOBJ10 Preserving the ability to have a 'wilderness' experience on forests and grasslands.

Not at all important	1	2	3	4	5	Very important
		8	Don't know			
		9	Refused			

QOBJ11 Preserving Native American's and Native Hispanic's cultural uses of forests and grasslands such as fire wood gathering, herb/berry/plant gathering, and ceremonial access.

Not at all important	1	2	3	4	5	Very important
		8	Don't know			
		9	Refused			

QOBJ12 Providing natural resources from forests and grasslands to support communities dependent on grazing, mining or timber harvesting.

Not at all important	1	2	3	4	5	Very important
		8	Don't know			
		9	Refused			

QOBJ13 Restricting mining, oil drilling, and other mineral removals on forests and grasslands.

Not at all important	1	2	3	4	5	Very important
		8	Don't know			
		9	Refused			

QOBJ14 Restricting timber harvesting and grazing on forests and grasslands.

Not at all important	1	2	3	4	5	Very important
		8	Don't know			
		9	Refused			

QOBJ15 Making it easier to get permits for some established uses of forests and grasslands such as grazing, logging, mining, and commercial recreation.

Not at all important	1	2	3	4	5	Very important
		8	Don't know			
		9	Refused			

QOBJ16 Developing a national policy that guides natural resource development of all kinds, for example, the amount of timber cut or barrels of oil pumped, and the regulation of environmental impacts.

Not at all important	1	2	3	4	5	Very important
		8	Don't know			
		9	Refused			

QOBJ17 Expanding commercial recreation on forests and grasslands (for example, ski areas, guide services, or outfitters).

Not at all important	1	2	3	4	5	Very important
		8	Don't know			
		9	Refused			

QOBJ18 Developing volunteer programs to improve forests and grasslands (for example, planting trees, or improving water quality).

Not at all important	1	2	3	4	5	Very important
		8	Don't know			
		9	Refused			

QOBJ19 Developing volunteer programs to maintain trails and facilities on forests and grasslands, for example, trail maintenance, or campground maintenance.

Not at all important	1	2	3	4	5	Very important
		8	Don't know			
		9	Refused			

QOBJ20 Informing the public about recreation concerns on forests and grasslands such as safety, trail etiquette, and respect for wildlife.

Not at all important	1	2	3	4	5	Very important
		8	Don't know			
		9	Refused			

QOBJ21 Informing the public on the potential environmental impacts of all uses associated with forests and grasslands.

Not at all important	1	2	3	4	5	Very important
		8	Don't know			
		9	Refused			

QOBJ22 Informing the public on the economic value received by developing our natural resources.

Not at all important	1	2	3	4	5	Very important
		8	Don't know			
		9	Refused			

QOBJ23 Encouraging collaboration between groups in order to share information concerning uses of forests and grasslands.

Not at all important	1	2	3	4	5	Very important
		8	Don't know			
		9	Refused			

QOBJ24 Using public advisory committees to advise on public land management issues.

Not at all Important	1	2	3	4	5	Very important
		8	Don't know			
		9	Refused			

QOBJ25 Allowing for diverse uses of forests and grasslands such as grazing, recreation, and wildlife habitat.

Not at all important	1	2	3	4	5	Very important
		8	Don't know			
		9	Refused			

QOBJ26 Making management decisions concerning the use of forests and grasslands at the local level rather than at the national level.

Not at all important	1	2	3	4	5	Very important
		8	Don't know			
		9	Refused			

QOBJ27 Increasing the total number of acres in the public land system.

Not at all important	1	2	3	4	5	Very important
		8	Don't know			
		9	Refused			

QOBJ28 Introducing a recreation fee that goes to support public land.

Not at all important	1	2	3	4	5	Very important
		8	Don't know			
		9	Refused			

QOBJ29 Increasing law enforcement efforts by public land agencies on public lands.

Not at all important	1	2	3	4	5	Very important
		8	Don't know			
		9	Refused			

QOBJ30 Allowing public land managers to trade public lands for private lands, for example, to eliminate private property within public land boundaries, or to acquire unique areas of land.

Not at all important	1	2	3	4	5	Very important
		8	Don't know			
		9	Refused			